

107TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 5672

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 16, 2002

Mr. KANJORSKI introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on the Budget

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Protecting Priorities
5 and Restoring Budget Disciplines Act of 2002”.

1 **SEC. 2. REDUCTION OF PREEXISTING BALANCES ON PAYGO**

2 **SCORECARD.**

3 Upon the enactment of this Act, the Director of the
4 Office of Management and Budget shall reduce any bal-
5 ances of direct spending and receipts legislation for fiscal
6 years 2002 and 2003 under section 252 of the Balanced
7 Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 to
8 zero.

9 **SEC. 3. EXTENSION OF PAY-AS-YOU-GO REQUIREMENT.**

10 (a) EXTENSION OF PAY-AS-YOU-GO REQUIRE-
11 MENT.—(1) Section 252(a) of the Balanced Budget and
12 Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 is amended by
13 striking “2002” and inserting “2007”.

14 (2) Section 252(b)(1) of such Act is amended by
15 striking “2002” and inserting “2007”.

16 (b) EXPIRATION.—Section 275(b) of the Balanced
17 Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 is
18 amended by—

19 (1) striking “, and sections 1105(f) and
20 1106(c) of title 31, United States Code,” and by in-
21 serting “, sections 1105(f) and 1106(c) of title 31,
22 United States Code, shall expire September 30,
23 2007” after “2002”; and

24 (2) striking “2006” and inserting “2011”.

1 **SEC. 4. SENSE OF CONGRESS ON EXTENSION OF DISCRE-**
2 **TIONARY SPENDING LIMITS.**

3 It is the sense of Congress that, in recognition of the
4 valuable role that discretionary spending limits have
5 played in maintaining fiscal discipline and setting budg-
6 etary priorities, Congress and the President should agree
7 upon an extension of the discretionary spending limits by
8 establishing caps for fiscal years 2003 through 2007.

9 **SEC. 5. EXTENSION OF DISCRETIONARY SPENDING LIMITS.**

10 The first sentence of section 275(b) of the Balanced
11 Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (as
12 amended by section 2) is further amended by striking
13 “251,” and “, 258B,” and by inserting after “2007” the
14 following: “, and sections 251 and 258B shall expire Sep-
15 tember 30 of the last fiscal year for which any subsequent
16 extension of the discretionary spending limits set forth in
17 section 251(c) applies”.

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